## Hixburg

Hixburg, Dec. 28.- The Youth Group of Walker's Presbyterian Church pulled a surprise on Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carson on Sunday evening, Dec. 18.

The Carsons had been invited to Mr. DeWitt Goin's for supper, they thought.

When they stepped into the dining room, there was a table decorated with holly and laden with a real feast of turkey, cranberries, etc.

Twenty-four guests with other members of the family circled the table. The food was bought by the Youth Group and prepared by the girls of that group.

There came another surprise. Two gift-wrapped packages were presented to the Carsons. When opened, they found a white sweater for each. An hour of good fellowship and Carol singing followed.

Mr. Frank Irvine is happy to be at home again. On Monday, he was brought from Virginia Baptist Hospital, where he had undergone surgery.

The Rev. and Mrs. Harold Anderson, Copper Hills, Virginia were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sears on Thursday evening.

From Richmmod came Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hix on Friday. They were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson Hix.

Tom has accepted a position with General Electric in Richmond.

For many years, it has been an annual event for as many of Mr. Ernest Carson's children, who could make it, to be present at a Christmas dinner. As, Mr. Ernest Carnon has passed away, his daughter, Mrs. Dolly Carson Hix, of Prospect, continued the custom on Saturday evening, with a buffet supper.

Present were Ural Carson and family, of Farmville; Woodrow Carson and family, of Prospect; and Charlie Carson and family, of Prospect; Crote Carson and family, of Richmond; Mr. Lester Nuckols and family, of Dillwyn; Mrs. Crawford Carson, of Philadelphia, and Mr. Walter Carson and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carson, of Hixburg.

Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Fore were Mr. R. E. Fore, Jr. and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin McClintic, of Lynchburg.

Mrs. E. M. Pleasants, Mr. Edwin Fore's sister, who has been very ill in a hospital in Philadelphia, is at home and getting on nicely.

Her niece, Mrs. Rosalie Fore Glass, is staying with her while Lt. Glass is in Africa.

Charlie Williams goes to see Mr. Joel Coleman two or three nights every week.

When he visited him on Christmas Day, Mr. Coleman said, "I'm feeling fine." That is splendid for a man of 97 years.

Miss Marguerite Gilliam, of Appomattox and her brother, Frank, of Roanoke called on the Willie Hixes on Monday.

Watkins McPhillips and family returned to Richmond on Monday, after spending the night in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed McPhillips.

Missed at Christmas was Mrs. Edith Hix, of Richmond. This is the first Christmas in many years that she has not come to Hixburg. She was not feeling well enough to drive that far.

Christmas visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Glover, Jr., were Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Mann, parents of Mrs. Glover, Mr. Richard Mann and family, and Mrs. Alvin East and family, all of Gretna.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Glover and Mrs. Reynolds, Mrs. Glover's mother, of Huntsville, Ala., spent Christmas with the Agee Glovers.

Sam Erwin, of Winston - Salem, N. C., and Sgt. Tom Erwin, of Limestone Air Base in Maine, arrived on Tuesday for a visit with their mother, Mrs. W. M. Erwin, at Hixburg.

## Liberty Chapel

Liberty Chapel, Dec. 27.- Charles Morgan, of Buckingham was supper guest Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thornhill.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Gunter spent Christmas Day with relatives near Stonewall.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Mills, Miss Faye Thornhill and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thornhill were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Don Thornhill.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Reynolds visited with relatives in Lynchburg Sunday.

Tommie Drinkard was the supper guest Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thornhill.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Garrette spent the week-end with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Gull, of Norfolk.

Rev. W. C. Hughes, of Arvonia was an over night guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thornhill.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thornhill and Mrs. Mildred Mann spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kern Mays, of Concord.

Supper guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thornhill were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stanley, Wayne and Ralph, Mr. and Mrs. Don Thornhill and Donnie.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thornhill, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Gunter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Eubanks and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gilbert were supper guests Monday of Mr. and [illegible] Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Christmas Day with [illegible] Buckingham.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. [illegible] Abingdon, visited [illegible] community during [illegible]

The man who [illegible] doesn't need a [illegible]

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